

# **FISCAL NOTE**

## **SB 1795 - HB 1974**

March 10, 2003

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Requires those over-the-counter medication products containing ephedrine or pseudoephedrine to be maintained behind the counter for retail sale and retail purchases to be limited to three packages at a time. A violation of the provisions of this bill is punishable as a misdemeanor under TCA 39-11-111 since the proposed act did not specify the offense for violation of the act.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**Increase Local Govt. Revenues - Not Significant**  
**Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant**

Impact depends upon the number of persons convicted of this offense and the resulting increased cost to local governments to confine such persons versus the increased revenues to local governments from fines levied and collected under the provisions of this bill.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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